## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

## SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO

## **EASTERN DIVISION**

In re FIRSTENERGY CORP. SECURITIES LITIGATION	) No. 2:20-cv-03785-ALM-KAJ
	) CLASS ACTION
This Document Relates To:	Judge Algenon L. Marbley Magistrate Judge Kimberly A. Jolson
ALL ACTIONS.	)
	_)

[PROPOSED] ORDER DENYING MOTION OF NON-PARTIES SAMUEL C. RANDAZZO AND SUSTAINABILITY FUNDING ALLIANCE OF OHIO, INC. FOR A PARTIAL STAY OF SPECIAL MASTER'S ORDER PENDING RULING ON OBJECTIONS AND GRANTING PLAINTIFFS' REQUEST FOR CLARIFICATION OF APPOINTMENT ORDER

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Having considered Plaintiffs' memorandum of law in opposition to the Motion of Non-Parties Samuel C. Randazzo ("Randazzo") and Sustainability Funding Alliance of Ohio, Inc. ("SFAO") for a Partial Stay of Special Master's Order Pending Ruling on Objections (the "Motion") and Plaintiffs' Request for Clarification of Appointment Order submitted by Class Representatives Los Angeles County Employees Retirement Association and Plaintiffs Amalgamated Bank, as Trustee for the LongView LargeCap 500 Index Fund, LongView Quantitative LargeCap Fund, LongView Broad Market 3000 Index Fund, LongView LargeCap 500 Index Fund VEBA, LV LargeCap 1000 Value Index Fund, LongView Quantitative MidCap Fund, LongView Quant LargeCap Equity VEBA Fund and LongView Core Plus Fixed Income Fund, City of Irving Supplemental Benefit Plan, and Wisconsin Laborers' Pension Fund and Opt Out Plaintiffs¹ (together, the "Plaintiffs"), and good cause appearing therefore, the Court DENIES Randazzo and SFAO's Motion and GRANTS Plaintiffs' Request for Clarification.

It is therefore ORDERED as follows:

- Non-parties Randazzo and SFAO will produce the documents compelled in the April
   May 16, and November 6, 2023 Orders by December 11, 2023;
- 2. Non-parties Randazzo and SFAO will bear any corresponding fees and costs for movants' motion; and

The "Opt Out Plaintiffs" are plaintiffs from the related actions captioned *MFS Series Trust I*, et al. v. FirstEnergy Corp., et al., No. 2:21-cv-05839 (S.D. Ohio), and Brighthouse Funds Trust II – MFS Value Portfolio, et al. v. FirstEnergy Corp., et al., No. 2:22-cv-00865 (S.D. Ohio).

3.	The Court clarifies that pursuant to the Order Appointing Special Master (ECF 541)
Special Mas	ter Shawn K. Judge's discovery orders are effective upon entry and remain in effect
unless and u	ntil a party <i>obtains</i> a stay or the Court sustains an objection.
DATED: _	
	THE HONORABLE ALGENON L. MARBLEY
	UNITED STATES DISTRICT CHIEF JUDGE
DATED:	
DATED	THE HONORABLE KIMBERLY A. JOLSON
	UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE